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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCURING GOODS IN AN AUTOMATED
MANNER (Amended)

Enclosed are:

X A specification consisting of 32 pages

X 16 sheet(s) of formal drawings

An assignment of the invention

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X Executed Declaration X Original Photocopy

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